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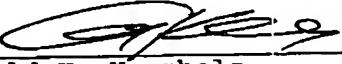
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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

**On the face of the patent, the residence for Stephen Tatar, should read --Montville,  
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